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March 6, 2009

Re: Contract 09-204 2009 Precommercial Thinning/Pruning/Green Cull
Contract

Dear Prospective Bidder:

Enclosed you will find a Prospectus for our 2009 Precommercial Thinning,
Pruning, and green cull contract. Contract No. 09-204. The Idaho Department
of Lands has all forest management related contract packages posted on our
public web site at:

<http://www.idl.idaho.gov/contracts/bids.html>

As described in the prospectus, you can go to this web site and download a
copy of the bid package. If you are not able to access the web site, you can
go to any of our Department of Lands Area offices and ask them to print a
copy for you. If you would like to request a copy of the bid package to be sent
to you in the mail, please give me a call or email and we will send a package
out to you.

**If you have not sent us an email address and would like to get notices of
all of our timber related contracts by email, please email your address to
my email address shown below.**

Thank you for considering Idaho Department of Lands Contracts. Let us know
if we can do anything to make the bidding process easier.

Sincerely,

Tom Fleer

Tom Fleer
Program Manager - Forest Management
Phone: 208-666-8615
Email: tfleer@idl.idaho.gov

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NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS
2009 CONTRACT PRECOMMERCIAL THINNING PROSPECTUS
CONTRACT NO. 09-204

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF LANDS
3780 Industrial Avenue South
Coeur d'Alene, Id 83815

Attn: Tom Fleer
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The following contract thinning, cull removal, slashing, and pruning projects covered by the Precommercial Thinning/Cull Removal/Slashing/Pruning Contract No.09-204 are being offered to all interested parties:

If you are interested in bidding on any of these projects, request the "09-204 Contract Bid Package" from the above address, email and/or phone number or any Area Office listed below or go to the Idaho Department of Lands Web site at <http://www.idl.idaho.gov/contracts/bids.html> . A copy of the Bid Package can be found on that web site.

<u>Project Name</u>	<u>Area Office</u>	<u>Project Location (Legal Description)</u>	<u>Number of Acres</u>	<u>Starting Date</u>	<u>Field Work Completed by Date</u>
Trapper Jack Thin and Prune Thin and Prune	Priest Lake	Pts. Twp. 58N, 59, 60N, Rge. 3W Pts. Twp. 58N, 59N, 60N, 63N, Rge. 4W	486	June 1, 2009	October 31, 2009
Two Tall Trees PCT Thinning	Kootenai Valley	Pts. Twp. 60N, 61N Rge. 1W	50	June 1, 2009	October 31, 2009
Chicken Foot PCT Thinning	Kootenai Valley	Pts. Twp. 60N Rge. 1W	237	June 1, 2009	October 31, 2009
Deep Creek PCT Thinning	Kootenai Valley	Pts. Twp. 61N, Rge. 1W	70	After contract signed	October 31, 2009
O.K. Thinning Thinning	Kootenai Valley	Pts. Twp. 60N Rge. 1W	80	After contract signed	October 31, 2009
Happy Blue Thin Thinning	Pend Oreille	Pts. Twp. 57N Rge. 4W	35	After contract signed	December 1, 2009
Two Mile Thin Thinning	Pend Oreille	Pts. Twp. 57N, 58N Rge 4W	43	After contract signed	December 1, 2009
Priest River Thin Thinning	Pend Oreille	Pts. Twp. 55N Rge 4W, 5W	220	After contract signed	November 30,2009

**Notice to Prospective Bidders
2009 Contract Thinning Projects
Contract No. 09-204**

<u>Project Name</u>	<u>Area Office</u>	<u>Project Location (Legal Description)</u>	<u>Number of Acres</u>	<u>Starting Date</u>	<u>Field Work Completed by Date</u>
Cedar Mtn. Slashing Slashing	Mica	Pts. Twp. 53N Rge 3W	195	After contract signed	July 31, 2009
Coal Creek Thinning Thinning	Cataldo	Pts. Twp. 50N Rge 2E	160	After contract signed	November 31, 2009
Floodwood PCT Thin and Prune	St. Joe	Pts. Twp. 41N Rge. 4E, 5E	736	After contract signed	October 31, 2010
Gramp Thin and Prune Thin and Prune	St. Joe	Pts. Twp. 42N, 43N, Rge. 2E Pts. Twp. 43N Rge 1W	245	After contract signed	October 31, 2009
Lost Price Cull Tree Removal	Payette Lakes	Pts. Twp. 19N Rge. 1W	355	June 1, 2009	August 31, 2009
Yockwah PCT Thinning	Payette Lakes	Pts. Twp. 19N Rge. 3E	274	July 15, 2009	November 30, 2009
Not Flat Cull Tree Removal	Payette Lakes	Pts. Twp. 15N Rge. 4E	373	July 15, 2009	November 2, 2009
ERL Cull Tree Removal	Payette Lakes	Pts. Twp. 14N Rge 4E	353	July 15, 2009	November 2, 2009
Jug PCT Thinning	Payette Lakes	Pts. Twp. 17N Rge. 4E	24	July 15, 2009	October 31, 2009
TOTAL ACRES			3936		

Bid Award Procedure:

Each of the above projects will be offered for sealed bids. Bidders who bid on more than one project may qualify their bids to limit the total number of acres they will accept. The apparent low bidders will be contacted within five (5) working days following the date below and advised to submit bonding within fourteen (14) calendar days.

All bid proposals should be sent to the Directors office in Boise as described in the bid package.

Bids will be received until April 17, 2009 3:00 pm MST at the Directors office in Boise.

**Notice to Prospective Bidders
2009 Contract Thinning Projects
Contract No. 09-204**

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

This prospectus gives only a brief description of each project and consequently may not conform entirely to the contract package. Interested bidders should rely on their own examination of each project for bidding purposes. The State of Idaho does not warrant the total stems per acre, stems per acre which will need to be cut, the correctness of any surface conditions or any other pre-bid documents prepared by the State. It is further understood that any differences between the prospectus, project description, forest resource data, and the contract, the contract shall be final and binding.

The Department of Lands is a government entity and requires the approval of the Idaho State Legislature to appropriate funds for this contract. Bidders should review and be aware of the Master contract term - Division A number 20 requiring appropriated funds from the legislature to complete the contract.

Obtaining Additional Information

Further information on specific projects and contract work to be accomplished may be obtained by contacting the specific Supervisory Areas which have projects. All Supervisory Areas are listed below. Bid packages can be picked up at any Department of Lands office by asking to have it printed for you.

Idaho Department of Lands
Priest Lake Area Office
4053 Cavanaugh Bay Road
Coolin, ID 83821
Phone: (208) 443-2516
FAX: (208) 443-2162

Idaho Department of Lands
Pend Oreille Lake Area Office
2550 Highway 2 West
Sandpoint, ID 83864
Phone: (208) 263-5104
FAX: (208) 263-0724

Idaho Department of Lands
Kootenai Valley Area Office
Route 4, Box 4810
Bonners Ferry, ID 83805
Phone: (208) 267-5577
FAX: (208) 267-8301

Idaho Department of Lands
Mica Supervisory Area Office
3706 Industrial Avenue South
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83815
Phone: (208) 769-1577
FAX: (208) 769-1597

Idaho Department of Lands
Cataldo Area Office
80 Hilltop Overpass Road
Kingston, ID 83839
Phone: (208) 682-4611
FAX: (208) 682-2991

Idaho Department of Lands
St. Joe Area Office
1806 Main Avenue
St. Maries, ID 83861
Phone: (208) 245-4551
FAX: (208) 245-4867

Idaho Department of Lands
Ponderosa Area Office
3130 Highway 3
Deary, ID 83823
Phone: (208) 877-1121
FAX: (208) 877-1122

Idaho Department of Lands
Clearwater Area Office
10230 Highway 12
Orofino, ID 83544
Phone: (208) 476-4587
FAX: (208) 476-7175

Idaho Department of Lands
Maggie Creek Area Office
913 Third Street
Route 2, P.O. Box 190
Kamiah, ID 83536
Phone: (208) 935-2141
FAX: (208) 935-0905

Idaho Department of Lands
Craig Mountain Area Office
P.O. Box 68
Craigmont, ID 83523
Phone: (208) 924-5571
FAX: (208) 924-5572

Idaho Department of Lands
Payette Lake Area Office
555 Deinhard Lane
McCall, Idaho 83638
Phone: (208) 634-7125
Fax: (208) 634-5117

Idaho Department of Lands
Southwest Area Office
8355 West State Street
Boise, Idaho 83703
Phone: (208) 334-3488
Fax: (208) 853-6372

Idaho Department of Lands
Eastern Area Office
3563 Ririe Highway
Idaho Falls, Idaho 83401
Phone: (208) 525-7167
Fax: (208) 525-7178